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8. (Amended) A solution according to Claim 5, a concentrate as defined above, or a kit of parts Claim 1, wherein the thrombin inhibitor is a low molecular weight peptide-based thrombin inhibitor, a low molecular weight amino-acid based thrombin inhibitor, and/or a low molecular weight peptide analogue-based thrombin inhibitor, or a prodrug of any of these.

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11. (Amended) A process for the preparation of a solution, or a concentrate, as defined in Claim 5, which comprises admixing a formulation including a low molecular weight thrombin inhibitor (or prodrug thereof) and a dialysis solution, or a dialysis concentrate (as appropriate).

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